

## MONSIEUR BEAUCAIRE

Was Presented Last Evening to an Enthusiastic Audience

The plot is taken from an actual experience in the life of Louis XV of France, somewhat embellished to fit the stage. He is a brother of Louis XV and hikes out of France in disguise as Monsieur Beaucaire, a plain gent with no noble blood in sight.

Arriving at Bath, an English watering place, he cuts a wide swath among the hearts of the ladies and the pocketbooks of the gentlemen. He soon gets himself disliked and several people, whose banks accounts he raided at the card table, denounce him as a member of Tonsorial Union No. 8, and asked him to get out of real society and take to the tail timber. He declines to separate himself from the glories of the high life at Bath and invites the crowd to come into his room and play five hundred with the ante anything you like and the limit off.

The Duke of Winterset drops in one evening with a large wad and gets busy. Beaucaire, in the midst of the game grabs him, and shakes a right bower and joker out of his sleeve.

A friend sees the slave play and the two agree to keep mum if the biggest deal will introduce Beaucaire to Lady Mary, the haughtiest dame in Bath and the leader of four hundred. The bargain is made on this basis and the introduction takes place at the ball next evening. Beaucaire soon becomes the event of the evening and captures Lady Mary, to the disgust of his Lordship. Everybody gets hot in the collar and the man who is aching for trouble slaps by Beaucaire in two places.

A general mixup ensues and the audience expects Beaucaire to get a razor out of his hip pocket, but he yanks a small sword instead and going out for a few minutes pokes four feet of steel through the other gentleman's liver.

In the next act he is making love to Lady Mary who is taken completely into camp. Next comes another row in which he carves up half a dozen adversaries and is denounced as an impostor, scoundrel, liar and hair chopper. At this Lady Mary throws him over and asks him never to show up any more in her set.

In the last act he again gets a chance to chin his sweetheart and succeeds in winning her back. She announces that no matter who he is, where he came from or what his calling may be, she loves him to distraction and is willing to lay her heart and night key at his feet. The elopement to France is planned when in comes the French Ambassador and kneels to Beaucaire, to the astonishment of everyone. He then introduces him by his many titles. As he reels them off, the list comes out like a rush message on a Wheatstone telegraphic receiver. All hands then acknowledge him as the next man to warm the throne of France, congratulating Lady Mary that she has not been handed a cold brick and the drama ends happily.

## Funeral Notice

The funeral of the late Mrs. Etta C. Swart will take place in Dayton on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

"Is that a grand jury going up the street?" "No, it is Van Duzer and his corps of lawyers."

The work of finishing the addition to the Nevada Press Company's building is well under way. They are going to move their machinery in a week or ten days. It's a mighty good sign.

William MacDonald the noted baritone who died in Springfield, Mass., last Monday was well known in this city where he appeared in opera and recitals.

The Bodie Miner says Utah capitalists have invaded Owyenta district, Mono county, Cal., and will build a sixty-stamp mill at Gold Hill.

A. H. Grigsby, Pacific coast representative of the Unitype Company is installing one of their machines in the office of the Virginia Chronicle.

Jap employees at the Keeler soda works in Inyo county, Cal., refused to show poll taxes to be paid from their wages and treed the foreman. A posse drove the Japs from the ground and the works are shut down.

The S. P. company will enlarge and improve the depot at Truckee in anticipation of heavy travel to Lake Tahoe. Forty thousand people changed cars at Truckee last year.

Jim Sweeney's new forty horse power auto is in evidence. He has bought it for the purpose of taking editors out to ride on moonlight nights.

## THRILLING DRAMA.

A Splendid Performance to be Here Saturday.

The well-known playwright, Hal Reid, has written a new drama of life in the great West, which will be produced by E. J. Carpenter at the Carson opera house Saturday night. It is called "At Cripple Creek," and is said to be the strongest and most interesting play of its kind that has been given to the American stage since Bartley Campbell's "My Partner." The story it tells is one of absorbing interest, powerful in motive in motive and absolutely true to nature. It is replete with scenes of exquisite beauty and tenderness; abounds in lively comedy and contains a number of effects entirely new to the stage. A carload of scenery is carried and the company is one of the most powerful traveling.

## To Shorten Road

Definite plans have been made by the Southern Pacific Company to shorten the distance between Ogden and San Francisco by several minutes. The road will be so constructed as to connect with the proposed tunnel through the Sierra Nevada mountains. This will necessitate the boring of two small tunnels and the erection of two bridges across the Truckee river. The Southern Pacific Company, as the tunnel goes will be this work, and the boring of the big tunnel will be left to contractors.

## Commissioners Meeting

All parties having claims against Ormsby county will file the same with the clerk on or before Saturday, March 31, 1906, as the Board will meet on the following Monday and allow all just claims.

## H. B. VAN ETTEN, Clerk.

## Hans to Arrive

Hans Hanson will be at the Opera house next Thursday evening. His theatre goes are preparing for the finest night of the season for Hans Hanson is to be presented at the opera house.

Hans Hanson is an American comedy drama. The principal character represents a young Swede lately arrived in America—a big hearted, whole souled honest fellow, always ready to assist the depressed. The fun lies in his endeavor to speak the English language and the various comical situations that arise during the play. At times the audience is held spellbound by the tender pathos that pervades the piece, and the next moment convulsed with laughter. Jas. T. McAlpin, who had been seen as Ole Olson through this country has found in Hans Hanson an ideal Swedish play, giving them all possible opportunities for the display of his peculiar talent, both as a comedian, singer and warbler. His supporting company, twenty-five strong, is made up of the best talent in the dramatic and vaudeville lines, with solo band and orchestra.

## KILLED BY A TRAIN

Young Man Meets Death in Yellow Jacket Tunnel

George Carr was run over and killed by the V. & T. express train in the Yellow Jacket tunnel at about 1 o'clock this afternoon. His dead body, terribly mangled, was found a short time after the train arrived at the depot in this city. Conductor McCormick and other trainmen were unaware that a terrible fatal accident had occurred until informed by 'phone sometime after the arrival of the train at this station.

The mangled body was discovered by two boys, Harris and Sheridan, a short time after the express train passed about the middle of the Jacket tunnel. Frightened at the terrible sight the boys hurried to Gold Hill and breathlessly told of their discovery, and a party of men started immediately for the scene. Coroner Smith was notified and with undertaker Kuhla brought the body to this city.

The victim of the appalling accident was in town this morning and was evidently on his way home at Gold Hill when it occurred. There being no witnesses it is surmised that young Carr on hearing the approach of the train tried to avoid it, but either stumbled and fell on the track or failed to get in between the tunnel timbers in time and was dragged under the wheels.

Deceased was a native of Gold Hill aged about twenty-six years and leaves a widowed mother, three sisters and two brothers.

An inspection of the body by Dr. J. J. Sullivan disclosed that the left foot and ankle was crushed into a gory jelly, the right hip was in a similar condition, the neck and back were broken and the left side of the skull was crushed. The mangled body, which a few hours before was full of life and youthful energy is a mere mass of mangled, bloody flesh and crushed bones. An inquest will be held tonight by Coroner Smith—Chronicle.

## Off for the South

This morning E. P. Esser leaves for Tonopah and Manhattan, where he is interested in a number of mining that promise big returns. He lately purchased four of the best claims in the camp and they will be incorporated and worked. The ground is near the best in the camp and some ore in sight. While in the camp he will give part of his attention to the Manhattan Carson and help hurry matters along. Now that the snow is moving off the hills there will be a dozen excitements in and about the camp and Mr. Esser believes in being on the spot. Mrs. Frank Humphreys and children who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Maule, accompanied Mr. Esser to her home in Manhattan.

## PROMISING DISTRICT

Carsonites Interested in Big Finds at Hontoon Valley

A number of Carsonites have taken the mining fever and are getting into every new discovery that is tapped. One of the latest finds was a Hontoon valley, about forty miles from Sodaville, across a desert, but in a section that is lined with big mines and new prospects that threaten fortunes for those who were alive and grabbed into fortunes bag.

Gig Briggs, Sam Martin, Al Clark, Fred Trimmer, Harry Edwards and several other Carson people are indirectly interested in the new district and some of the assays that have been brought in are enough to warrant the stampede to the new diggings.

Recently Fred Trimmer came in from the section, where he is interested a number of locations. In the location work alone he has some wonderful samples of high-grade galena and silver ores. Some of it is more metal than quartz while there is a good silver and gold assay value in the rock. The same kind of values are found in the samples that have been brought in by Mr. Briggs and other people. The assays are all that could be asked and this means development work for several months ahead.

The discovery of such fluxing ores as has been uncovered is the identical material that the Tonopah people have been seeking. They want fluxing ores as bad as they do the money, and with Hontoon as close in as it is there is no question about the value to the Tonopah people. Had there been plenty of fluxing ores the rich ores from the Tonopah mines would have been smelted on the ground instead of going to Salt Lake City, and other places where the smelter get the best part of the profits.

It seems that the Tonopah section is the favored one, as all that has to be done is to seek and every wish is satisfied. With the new field open and the mines developed there will be more millionaires in Carson and a big benefit all around. The new district is attracting attention and mining men are going in every day. It is in the line of boom.

## Another Improvement

Yesterday work was started on a new garage for Lemmon & Meder, who will open a shop in this city in the near future, where autos and auto supplies will be carried.

The old store formerly occupied by Ed. Walsh has been rented and in order to make it convenient a larger doorway is being cut on the Main street entrance.

A number of autos have been ordered by the new firm and the traveler will find anything in his line in their place of business. It also fills another vacant store and makes the old Ormsby block full to the limit.

It is just another improvement of the many that are going on, and if rumor has it right there is another big building to go up on the street in a short time.

## Charged With Murder

McCormick, the man who shot and killed David Alphonse during a fight in a Manhattan saloon, will be held to answer before the grand jury. Alphonse lingered for twenty-four hours and as soon as he died a charge of murder was lodged against his slayer.

## Workmen Arriving

The number of workmen seen on the streets of Reno during the past few days has excited some considerable comment. The lodging houses have been full of toilers waiting to be forwarded on the various points in Eastern California where the Western Pacific is at work.—Journal.

"Scotty" the Prince of False Alarms and Fakirs has at last been caught jobbing a night attack on himself and has been rounded up by the police. Everyone will be glad to learn that this insurmountable humbug is in the cooler.

It is said that John Rockefeller's child looks like its father. The parents need not feel bad over this sort of a handicap so long as the child is healthy.

The statement that the Supreme Court of the U. S. has handed down a decision against the De Forrest Wireless Telegraph Co. is a pure fake. There is no such case in court. The statement was sent over the wires by irresponsible stock jobbers.

Chinese, Japs and negroes are barred from settling at Fairview, Churchill county.

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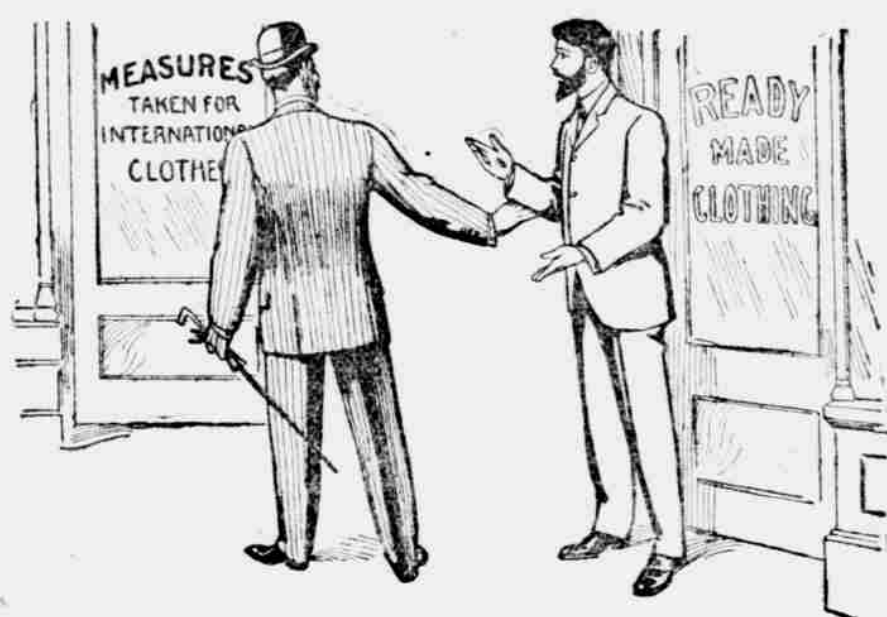
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